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MEMORANDUM FOR: Members, Intelligence Definitions  
Working Group

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Office of Policy and Planning  
Intelligence Community Staff

SUBJECT: Minutes of 14 February 1978 Meeting

1. A summary of the 14 February 1978 meeting of the Intelligence Definitions Working Group is attached for your information. Also attached is a complete list of definitions approved by the Group to date. The most recent additions are asterisked.

2. The next meeting of the Working Group will begin at 1330, 21 February 1978, CHB Room 5S09.

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Acting Chairman

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Attachments:  
As stated

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INTELLIGENCE DEFINITIONS WORKING GROUP

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1. The Acting Chairman noted that Decontrol had inadvertantly been picked up in the 7 Feb. glossary, after being dropped on 20 Dec. It has once again been dropped.

2. A grammatical correction was made to the definition of Intelligence, as shown in the latest glossary. The words "acquired and" were added to the first sentence of Intelligence Cycle, also as shown.

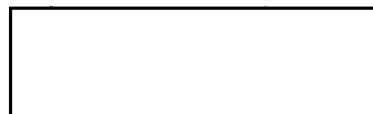
3. An OPP candidate definition of Information was distributed. Additionally, the FBI member distributed a proposed new definition of Foreign Counterintelligence, along with the current definition and the E.O. definition. These are attached for those members not in attendance and will be considered at an early meeting.

4. The Navy member submitted two additional items for the "Other Glossaries" appendix, in addition to a list of acronyms. All members who have not yet done so are encouraged to make contributions to the "Other Glossaries" appendix.

5. At the Group's suggestion, the Acting Chairman will consult the DoE member regarding adding "Nuclear" to the term Proliferation Intelligence.

6. The Group discussed and accepted several terms from the NSA list, as shown by asterisks. A number of obsolete terms were dropped. NSA agreed to fix the definitions of Industrial Security, Signals Security, and Foreign Communications for consideration at a later meeting. A new definition of FISINT was accepted, as shown. The definition for Critical Intelligence was adopted from the list provided the Senate Select Committee on Intelligence in 1976.

7. The next meeting of the Working Group will begin at 1330, 21 February 1978, CHB Room 5S09, at the word Upgrade on the NSA lists.



Acting Chairman

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DEFINITIONS WORKING GROUP - CURRENT DEFINITION  
FOREIGN COUNTERINTELLIGENCE (FCI)

Intelligence activity, with its resultant product, devoted to countering the effectiveness of foreign intelligence activities and undertaken to protect the security of the United States, its personnel, information and installations against espionage, sabotage, and terrorism. Foreign counterintelligence does not include personnel, physical, document, or communications security programs.

EXECUTIVE ORDER 12036

Counterintelligence means information gathered and activities conducted to protect against espionage and other clandestine intelligence activities, sabotage, international terrorist activities or assassinations conducted for or on behalf of foreign powers, organizations or persons, but not including personnel, physical, document, or communications security programs.

FBI

FOREIGN COUNTERINTELLIGENCE (FCI)

Intelligence activity, with its resultant product, intended to detect and counteract espionage and other clandestine intelligence activities, sabotage, international terrorist activities, and assassinations, conducted for or on behalf of foreign powers, organizations or persons. Foreign counter-intelligence does not include personnel, physical, document, or communications security programs.

OPP CANDIDATE\*

INFORMATION: Unevaluated data of every description, at all levels of reliability, and from all kinds of sources which, when processed, may prove to contain material which will become intelligence information. (See Intelligence Information.)

\* This definition combines existing definitions found in the Church Committee Report and JCS Pub 1.